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TRAFFIC SLIDING OVER THURSDAY IN MCDONOUGH

McDonough, Ga. – Georgia DOT announces traffic will be shifted Thursday, April 24 on State Route (SR) 155 and Kelleytown Road for the widening project on SR 155, if weather permits.

WHAT: Motorists on Kelleytown Road will no longer have direct access to SR 155. Motorist wishing to access SR 155 will now use Ford Drive. Traffic will also be shifted on SR 155 near this intersection.

This project is 1.62 miles of widening and reconstruction on SR 155 beginning south of Mosely Road and extending north of Reagan Road.

WHEN: If weather cooperates, these traffic changes will begin Thursday morning. The shift will occur during daylight hours. Lane closures may be required and traffic delayed in the area as the traffic shift occurs.

WHY: Shifting motorists allows traffic to continue through this section as new portions of the roadway are built.

“Construction season is underway, with warm temperatures we expect to see work increasing on all of our projects. Please remember, this is a **WORK ZONE** and extreme caution is necessary for motorists and workers. Please slow down as you travel through work zones,” said DOT District Construction Engineer, Ken Robinson.

Each day, hundreds of Georgia Department of Transportation employees and contractors work on dozens of highway, bridge and intersection improvements throughout the state. Their work often brings them and heavy machinery in close proximity to travel lanes. Fifty-seven Georgia DOT personnel and many more motorists, passengers and contractors’ workers have been killed in highway work zone accidents since 1973. Please help us prevent these tragedies by slowing down; being especially attentive and cautious as you pass through construction work zones; and always driving responsibly. Safer Driving; Safer Work Zones; For Everyone. For more information on Georgia DOT, please visit www.dot.ga.gov or subscribe to our Press Release [RSS feed](#). You also may follow us on [Twitter](https://twitter.com/GDOTWest) (<https://twitter.com/GDOTWest>).

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